

DOCKET NO: 254914US0PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
YASUO IMAMURA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: LIAO, DIANA J.
SERIAL NO: 10/500,737 :
FILED: JULY 6, 2004 : GROUP ART UNIT: 4116
FOR: HIGHLY PURE ULTRA-FINE SIOX :
POWDER AND ITS PRODUCTION
METHOD

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Support for the Amendments begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.